SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1885.

Mysore District.

Rain.—Heavy rain fell throughout the District during the month; the average quantity registered being 9·85 inches.

Crops.—Standing crops have been greatly benefited by the recent rain-fall. Horse and Bengal-gram, ragi, paddy, coriander seed and sesamum were sown; kar-ragi, sesamum, paddy and sáme were harvested in some places.

Health.—The public health was generally good though fever was prevalent in parts of the Hunsur Taluk.

Cattle.—The condition of cattle was good. Murrain was, however, prevalent in the Mandya Taluk, and 43 head of cattle are reported to have died therefrom, and 1,669 from all other causes.

Prices.—The prices of food grains slightly fluctuated. Rice, 1st sort, was sold at 9½; 2nd sort at 10; ragi at 24, and horse-gram at 19 seers, the rupee.

ABDUL KHADER, K. B.,
Dy. Commr.

Shimoga District.

Rain.—Rain gauged during the month was as follows:—

	I.	C.		I.	C.
Shimoga	6	98	Sagar	6	15
Channagiri.. ..	6	54	Nagar	6	55
Honnali	8	88	Tirthahalli	7	34
Shikarpur	6	70	Davangere	3	50
Sorab	4	65			

Thermometer.—The average readings of the thermometer at Shimoga were 77·32 at 9-30 A. M. and 80·06 at 3-30 P. M.

Seeds sown.—Horse-gram, Bengal-gram, jola, cotton, yellu, castor-oil seeds, paddy, ragi, navane and wheat.

State of Crops.—Standing crops are in good condition owing to recent heavy rains.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, jola, sesamum seeds, navane, mustard seeds, arecanut, horse-gram, yellu and cardamom.

Health.—Generally good in almost all the parts of the District.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 1,087—10—0 were taken up for cultivation and those at Rs. 38—12—0 were relinquished during the month.

Prices.—Fallen slightly.

P. PANCHANATHA RAO,
for *Dy. Commissioner.*

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

Memo of propositions to be laid before the Ordinary Meeting of the City Municipal Commission to be held at their Office Premises (District Office Buildings) on Monday the 30th November 1885 at 7-30 A. M.

I. The cash account current, progress report of works, mortuary returns for the month of October 1885 and also the Municipal School returns.

II. List of original works for insertion in the Budget for 1886—87.

III. Memo No. 4202—326, dated 30th October 1885, from the Officiating Under-Secretary to the Dewan, forwarding copy of Government Notification sanctioning Bye-law No. 23 regarding the destruction of stray dogs within City Municipal limits.

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IV. Docket No. 1348, dated 4th November 1885, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, forwarding in original correspondence relating to octroi tax on tobacco stalk in the Municipality of Bangalore.

V. Docket No. 1356, dated 6th November 1885, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, forwarding a letter, dated 31st ultimo, from Revd. J. Hudson, General Superintendent, Wesleyan Mission, applying for an increase to the present grant-in-aid to the Girls' School in Siddikatte.

VI. Letter No. 1301, dated 17th November 1885, from the Senior Surgeon to the Mysore Government, on the subject of water-supply of the city of Bangalore and suggesting certain improvements to the existing supply channels of the Dharmambudhi Tank.

VII. Memo No. 5485—1238, dated 14th November 1885, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department, forwarding for information copy of extract of the Mysore Public Works Department Notification dated 14th November 1885 promoting B. Vasantappa to Overseer, 3rd Grade.

VIII. Letter No. 2281—106 dated 16th November 1885 from the Assistant to the Resident, forwarding extract from the proceedings of a meeting of the Civil and Military Station Municipality held on the 31st October 1885, sanctioning a monthly contribution of Rs. 100 towards maintenance of an Institution in the Civil and Military Station for incurable paupers requiring medical treatment.

IX. Statement showing the progress made during the last three months in reference to filling in cess-pits in the city.

X. Proposed works required to be carried out during the current official year as per list.

XI. Letter from Mr. M. W. Walker, Agent, Bangalore Bank, requesting the Municipality to cover a portion of the waste weir channel of the Sampangihalli Tank, running through the premises known as "Tragedi Hall" and the Municipal Engineer's report thereon together with an estimate of cost of the proposed work.

XII. Proposed transfer of certain charges incurred, from "Road Funds" to "Reserve" and also the application of the Municipal Engineer for additional funds on account of road repairs for the current year.

XIII. Application from the Sanitary Inspector for additional sweepers for the villages of Muniraddipalya and Guttahalli.

A. SRINIVASACHARLU,
Vice-President.

Deaths registered in the Town of Bangalore for the Week ending 30th October 1885.

Estimated Population according to the Census of 1881. Males .. 30,950; Females .. 31,367; Total 62,317

Diseases.	M.	F.	Total.
Cholera	...	...	...
Small-pox	...	...	...
Fevers	5	4	9
Bowel-complaints	2	...	2
Suicide	...	...	...
Wounding	...	...	...
Accident	...	...	...
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.	...	...	...
All other causes	7	5	12
Total.....	14	9	23
Births during the week ...	11	18	29

Deaths registered in the Town of Bangalore for the Week ending 6th November 1885.

Estimated Population according to the Census of 1881. Males .. 30,950; Females .. 31,367; Total 62,317

Diseases.	M.	F.	Total.
Cholera	...	...	...
Small-pox	...	...	...
Fevers	4	1	5
Bowel-complaints	...	1	1
Suicide	...	...	...
Wounding	1	...	1
Accident	...	1	1
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.	...	...	...
All other causes	5	4	9
Total.....	10	7	17
Births during the week ...	17	13	30